

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: **YOSUKE HARUNA**

SERIAL NO.: 10/567,562

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CONFIRMATION No. 6636

GROUP ART UNIT: 3723

EXAMINER: Watson, Robert C.

ATTY. REFERENCE: HARU3003/JJC/PMB



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	13	- 20 ¹	= 0 ³	× \$ 25 =	× \$ 50 =
Independent Claims	5	- 5 ²	= 0 ³	× \$100 =	× \$ 200 =
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$180 =	+ \$360 =
TOTAL					

¹ If less than 20 enter 20.

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- ☐ Please charge my **Deposit Account Number 02-0200** in the amount of \$. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**.
- ☒ Also enclosed is/are: JP2003311572A

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Respectfully submitted,

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